During calendar years 2012 and 2013, the Walton Community Health Improvement Partnership (WCHIP) continued development of a Community Health Improvement Plan which would lead to a healthier future for the people of Walton County. Nearly 40 community partners were engaged in the community-wide, strategic planning process and ongoing partnership meetings to identify and prioritize public health and medical issues in Walton County. After development of a vision statement for the partnership and data review and analysis in spring of 2012 and 2013, participants identified the most important issues facing the community and listed strategic opportunities to improve the health of our community. The WCHIP partnership listed these priorities for the 2013 – 2015 Community Health Improvement Plan:

- 1. Improve healthy behaviors
- 2. Increase use of screening services, preventive services and / or primary care services
- 3. Increase awareness of local resources

Bi-monthly WCHIP meetings are alternated between Freeport and DeFuniak Springs. Participant agencies and organizations are encouraged to show support for the Partnership and Improvement Plan by continued engagement and activity. There have been challenges in development of a truly community-driven initiative. DOH-Walton is the lead agency for the MAPP process and is working to assure that we are truly listening to the discussion of our community partners. The process is time-consuming and resource-consuming; but even basic issues have been clarified and the group has developed a shared understanding. Attendance fluctuates and is at times inconsistent. Our intent remains constant: to mobilize community partnerships to identify and solve health problems. Our vision is clear:

"A Healthy Walton Begins Today! Join the Movement!"

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Strategic Priority - Select One:

1. Improve healthy behaviors. (Crystal, Ewa)

- 2. Increase use of screening services, preventive services and / or primary care services.
- 3. Increase awareness of local resources.

Goal(s):

1.0 Increase healthy behaviors among Walton county residents.

Strategies:

- 1.1 Promote a physically active lifestyle among Walton County residents.
- 1.2 Promote consumption of healthy foods as an alternative to their less-than-healthy options.

SMART OBJECTIVE

- 1.1.1 By June 30, 2015, reduce the percentage of Walton County adults who are sedentary by 10%.
- 1.1.2 By June 30, 2015, increase the number of Walton County adults who use parks, clubs, and other facilities to exercise by 5%.
- 1.2.1 By June 30, 2015, increase the number of Walton County adults who consume at least 5 servings of fruits and vegetables each day by 5%.
- 1.2.2 By June 30, 2015, increase the number of worksites that request that vending machines have healthy snacks available for purchase by employees by 20%.

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Tasks/Action Steps	Responsibilities	Resources	Timeline	
What will be done?	Who will do it?	Funding/time/people/materials	By when? Month/day/yr	
1. Develop list of physical activities (indoor / outdoor).	Crystal / Amy	Data base to keep up with info	01.2014 WCHIP Meeting	
a. Gather information on current location of activities.		Contact Dede to get on County website		
b. Gather list of indoor activities available to the public.		Work with Walton Outdoors to have info on their page.		
b. Create a database / central storage for information.				
c. Designate someone to keep info current.			!	
2. Promote activity list in the community.	Amy / Miriam	Money for PSA's, radio spots.	03.2014 WCHIP Meeting	
a. Develop media plan for getting activities out.		Help from PIO's to get information out		
b. Develop point of decision prompt PSA's.				
c. TBDDevelop Walking History in Walton County				
d. TBDGeo Cache Club				
Develop tool kit for worksites with vending	Ewa	Paper for handouts / internet access	01.2014 WCHIP Meeting	
machines to offer healthier snacks.		Incentives for challenge		
a. Create training session about healthier choices.		Businesses interested in program		
b. Develop handouts.				
c. Develop point of decision prompts so worksites can				
help to develop better habits.				
d. Contact local businesses, i.e., Chelco, WCSO, etc.,				
to see if they want to participate.				

 4. Pilot business tool kits. a. Have group do a survey. b. Give training. c. Start challenge. d. Survey at end of program e. Compare surveys. 	Ewa	Incentives for the groups to want to participate.	By 03.2014, have a group testing program
5. Work with Extension Office on Existing Programs a. News letter b. Freeze the Gain Challenge c. Healthy Meals in a Snap d. Florida Seafood at Your Fingertips? e. Grilling Class? f. Fun with fruit – link with holiday crafts? g. Cooking Classes at Topsail	Ricki	Extension office to cover b/w printing and to cover costs. Need approximately \$450 to hold class. Nominal cost to participants	Ongoing – classes to be scheduled throughout the year.

Evidence of Success (How will you know that you are making progress? What are your benchmarks?)
Evaluation Process (How will you determine that the goal has been received? What are your macaures?)
Evaluation Process (How will you determine that the goal has been reached? What are your measures?)

Strategic Priority - Select One:

- 1. Improve healthy behaviors.
- 2. Increase use of screening services, preventive services and / or primary care services. (Holly, Kay)
- 3. Increase awareness of local resources.

Goal(s):

2.0 Reduce diabetes morbidity and mortality.

Strategies:

- 2.1 Promote early detection and screening for diabetes.
- 2.2 Promote the use of evidence based clinical guidelines to manage diabetes.
- 2.3 Increase use of existing diabetes management education and resources.

SMART OBJECTIVE:

- 2.1.1 By June 30, 2015, increase the percentage of adults in Walton County that have had a test for high blood sugar or diabetes within the past three years 15%.
- 2.1.2 By June 30, 2015, increase the percentage of persons whose diabetes has been diagnosed from 10.0% to 12%. (As measured by the percentage of adults in Walton County who have ever been told by a doctor they have diabetes. There are approximately 2,248 adults in Walton County living with undiagnosed diabetes. Prevalence will increase until these adults are identified).
- 2.2.1 By June 30, 2015, increase the percentage of Walton County adults with diabetes who had two A1C tests in the past year from 55.1% to 60%.
- 2.3.1 By June 30, 2015, increase the percentage of Walton County adults with diabetes who ever had diabetes self-management education from 46.1% to 50%.

Tasks/Action Steps	Responsibilities	Resources	Timeline
What will be done?	Who will do it?	Funding/time/people/materials	By when? Month/day/yr
1. Designate four major Walton County Health Fairs to	WCHIP Committee,	WCHIP member	12.2013
attend and WCHIP attendees.	Laura		
2. Prepare healthcare booklets and distribute to	Kathryn, Jill, WCHIP	Funding for printing booklets, WCHIP members to attend health	01.2014
attendees at health fairs and to local healthcare	members	fairs and distribute booklets to providers	
providers.			
3. Provide healthcare screenings at designated health	WCHIP members	WCHIP members to provide health screenings, funding for	12.2014
fairs.		screening supplies.	

Evidence of Success (How will you know that you are making progress? What are your benchmarks?)

Evaluation Process (How will you determine that the goal has been reached? What are your measures?)

Strategic Priority - Select One:

- 1. Improve healthy behaviors.
- 2. Increase use of screening services, preventive services and / or primary care services.
- 3. Increase awareness of local resources. (Bryan, Judea, Debora)

Goal(s):

3.0 Provide people with tools and information to make healthy lifestyle choices.

Strategies:

- 3.1 Empower individuals and their families to develop and participate in health promotion programs through neighborhood associations, community coalitions, community groups, and faith-based groups.
- 3.2 Identify and help connect people to key resources for health care, education, and safe physical activity opportunities.

SMART OBJECTIVE

- 3.1.1 By June 30, 2015, participation in health promotion programs through neighborhood associations, community coalitions, community groups, and faith-based groups will increase by 10%.
- 3.2.1 By June 30, 2015, awareness and use of key resources for health care, education, and safe physical activity opportunities will increase by 10%.

Tasks/Action Steps	Responsibilities	Resources	Timeline
What will be done?	Who will do it?	Funding/time/people/materials	By when? Month/day/yr
Identify steps to measure success.	Goal 3 committee, WCHIP Steering Committee	Community Health Improvement Guide	12.18.13
2. Highlight communities that have been successful in promoting resources and evaluate their process.	и	List of other CHIP communities	12.18.13
3. Develop protocol and description for the lead resource point person in each community.	и	Community Health Improvement Guide	12.18.13
4. Identify Walton County's individual communities to be able to distribute resource information.	и	County Precinct Map	11.20.13 Freeport 01.15.14 DFS
5. Assess and gather geographic locations and culture norms for each identified community.	cc	Identified community list, focus group results on priorities	02.19.14
6. Survey identified communities to pinpoint at least two lead point people or organizations in each community that can distribute resource information.	WCHIP Steering Committee	Community Health Improvement Guide, focus group facilitator training for WCHIP members, survey	05.21.14
7. Build a resource list of key point people in each identified community to distribute community resource information.	WCHIP Steering, Community Lead Point Person	Survey results, community resource list Memorandum of Understanding – WCHIP / Lead Resources	06.30.14
8. Create a database of communities, lead point	WCHIP Steering,	Community accessible database	08.31.15 and ongoing

people in that community, contact information, and the protocol / guidelines for each person to be able to distribute resources.	Community Lead Point Person		
Present collected information to the WCHIP partners and provide collected information to the 211 program.	Goal 3 committee, WCHIP Steering, Community Lead Point	Presentation materials, survey summary, 211	Ongoing throughout process
	Person		

Evidence of Success (How will you know that you are making progress? What are your benchmarks?)

1. List of identified steps to measure success. 2. List of identified processes for promoting resources in highlighted communities. 3. Protocol and description for the lead resource point person in each community. 4. List of Walton County's individual communities. 5. List of norms for each targeted community. 6. Survey results and list of at least two lead point people or organizations for each targeted community. 7. Resource list of key point people in each identified community to distribute. 8. Database of communities, lead point people in that community, contact information, and the protocol / guidelines used to distribute resources for other groups needing to build resource awareness. 8. Presentation to WCHIP and information for the 211 program.

Evaluation Process (How will you determine that the goal has been reached? What are your measures?)

Process measures listed above.

Impact measures to be developed.

DOH-Walton CHIP Alignment with National and State Goals

Walton CHIP	Florida State Health Improvement	Healthy People 2020	National Prevention Strategy: Priorities
	Plan (FSHIP)		
Strategic Priority: Improve healthy behaviors Goal 1: Increase healthy behaviors among Walton County residents Objective 1.1.1: Reduce the percentage of Walton County adults who are sedentary by 10% by June 30, 2015.	CR 2.2 Increase access to and participation in physical activity for all members of a community.	 D-16 Increase prevention behaviors in persons at high risk for diabetes with prediabetes D-16.1 Increase the proportion of persons at high risk for diabetes with prediabetes reported increasing their levels of physical activity. PA-1 Reduce the proportion of adults who engage in no leisure-time physical activity. ECBP-10.9 Increase the number of community-based organizations (including local health departments, Tribal health services, non-governmental organizations, and State agencies) providing population-based primary prevention services physical activity. 	AL-3 Facilitate access to safe, accessible, and affordable places for physical activity.
Strategic Priority: Improve healthy behaviors Goal 1: Increase healthy behaviors among Walton County residents Objective 1.1.2: Increase the number of Walton County adults who use parks, clubs, and other facilities to exercise by 5% by June 30, 2015.		ECBP-10.9 Increase the number of community-based organizations (including local health departments, Tribal health services, non-governmental organizations, and State agencies) providing population-based primary prevention services physical activity.	AL-1 Encourage community design and development that supports physical activity. AL-3 Facilitate access to safe, accessible, and affordable places for physical activity. EP-1 Provide people with tools and information to make healthy choices. EP-2 Promote positive social interactions and support healthy decision making. EP-3 Engage and empower people and communities to plan and implement prevention policies and programs.
Strategic Priority: Improve healthy behaviors Goal 1: Increase healthy behaviors among Walton County residents Objective 1.2.1: Increase the number of Walton County adults who consume at least 5 servings of fruits and vegetables each day by 5% by June 30, 2015.	CD 1.3 Increase the availability of healthful food.	ECBP-10.8 Increase the number of community-based organizations (including local health departments, Tribal health services, non-governmental organizations, and State agencies) providing population-based primary prevention services nutrition.	HE-1Increase access to healthy and affordable foods in communities. HE-4 Help people recognize and make healthy food and beverage choices. EP-1 Provide people with tools and information to make healthy choices. EP-2 Promote positive social interactions and support healthy decision making. EP-3 Engage and empower people and communities to plan and implement prevention policies and programs.

Walton CHIP	Florida State Health Improvement Plan (FSHIP)	Healthy People 2020	National Prevention Strategy: Priorities
Strategic Priority: Improve healthy behaviors Goal 1: Increase healthy behaviors among Walton County residents Objective 1.2.2: Increase the number of worksites that request that vending machines have healthy snacks available for purchase by employees by 20% by June 30, 2015.	CD 1.3 Increase the availability of healthful food.	ECBP-10.8 Increase the number of community-based organizations (including local health departments, Tribal health services, non-governmental organizations, and State agencies) providing population-based primary prevention services nutrition. NWS-14 Increase the contribution of fruits to the diets of the population aged 2 years and older. NWS-15 Increase the variety and contribution of vegetables to the diets of the population aged 2 years and older.	HE-2 Implement organizational and programmatic nutrition standards and policies. EP-1 Provide people with tools and information to make healthy choices.
Strategic Priority: Increase use of screening services, preventive services and / or primary care services Goal 2: Reduce diabetes morbidity and mortality Objective 2.1.1: Increase the percentage of adults in Walton County that have had a test for high blood sugar or diabetes within the past three years by 15% by June 30, 2015.	CD 3.2 Promote early detection and screening for chronic diseases such as asthma, cancer, heart disease, and diabetes . 3.2.5 Increase the percentage of adults in Florida that have had a test for high blood sugar or diabetes within the past 3 years, by Dec. 30, 2015.	ECBP-10.8 Increase the number of community-based organizations (including local health departments, Tribal health services, non-governmental organizations, and State agencies) providing population-based primary prevention services nutrition.	CCPS-4 Support implementation of community-based preventive services and enhance linkages with clinical care. CCPS-5Reduce barriers to accessing clinical and community preventive services, especially among populations at greatest risk. EP-1 Provide people with tools and information to make healthy choices.
Strategic Priority: Increase use of screening services, preventive services and / or primary care services Goal 2: Reduce diabetes morbidity and mortality Objective 2.1.2: Increase the percentage of persons whose diabetes has been diagnosed from 10.0% to 12.0% by June 30, 2015. (There are approximately 2,248 adults in Walton County living with undiagnosed diabetes. Prevalence will increase until these adults are identified.)	CD 3.2 Promote early detection and screening for chronic diseases such as asthma, cancer, heart disease, and diabetes . 3.2.6 Increase the percentage of persons whose diabetes has been diagnosed from 10.4% to 12%, by Dec. 30, 2015 (As measured by the percentage of adults in Florida who have ever been told by a doctor they have diabetes. There are approximately 767,666 adults in Florida living with undiagnosed diabetes. Prevalence will increase until these adults are identified.)		CCPS-5Reduce barriers to accessing clinical and community preventive services, especially among populations at greatest risk. CCPS-6 Enhance coordination and integration of clinical, behavioral, and complementary health strategies. EP-1 Provide people with tools and information to make healthy choices.

Walton CHIP	Florida State Health Improvement Plan (FSHIP)	Healthy People 2020	National Prevention Strategy: Priorities
Strategic Priority: Increase use of screening services, preventive services and / or primary care services Goal 2: Reduce diabetes morbidity and mortality Objective 2.2.1: Increase the percentage of Walton County adults with diabetes who had two AIC tests in the past year from 55.1% to 60% by June 30, 2015.	CD 3.3 Promote the use of evidence-based clinical guidelines to manage chronic diseases. 3.3.4 Increase the percentage of Florida adults with diabetes who had two A1C tests in the past year from 75.6% to 80%, by Dec. 30, 2015.	D-15 Increase the proportion of persons with diabetes whose condition has been diagnosed.	CCPS-4 Support implementation of community-based preventive services and enhance linkages with clinical care. CCPS-5 Reduce barriers to accessing clinical and community preventive services, especially among populations at greatest risk.
Strategic Priority: Increase use of screening services, preventive services and / or primary care services Goal 2: Reduce diabetes morbidity and mortality Objective 2.2.2: Increase the percentage of Walton County adults with diabetes who ever had diabetes self-management education from 46.1% to 50% by June 30, 2015.	CD 3.1 Promote chronic disease self-management education 3.1.1 Increase the percentage of adults with diagnosed diabetes that have ever taken a course or class in how to manage their diabetes from 55.1% to 59%.	D-11 Increase the proportion of adults with diabetes who have a glycosylated hemoglobin (HbA1C) measurement at least twice a year.	CCPS-4 Support implementation of community-based preventive services and enhance linkages with clinical care. CCPS-5Reduce barriers to accessing clinical and community preventive services, especially among populations at greatest risk. EHD-1 Ensure a strategic focus on communities at greatest risk.
Strategic Priority: Increase awareness of local resources Goal: Provide people with tools and information to make healthy lifestyle choices. Objective 3.1.1: Participation in health promotion programs through neighborhood associations, community coalitions, community groups, and faithbased groups will increase by 10% by June 30, 2015.		HC/HIT-13.1 Increase social marketing in health promotion and disease prevention. ECBP-10.7 Increase the number of community-based organizations (including local health departments, Tribal health services, non-governmental organizations, and State agencies) providing population-based primary prevention services chronic disease programs.	CCPS-4 Support implementation of community-based preventive services and enhance linkages with clinical care. EHD-1 Ensure a strategic focus on communities at greatest risk. EP-1 Provide people with tools and information to make healthy choices. EP-2 Promote positive social interactions and support healthy decision making. EP-3 Engage and empower people and communities to plan and implement prevention policies and programs.
Walton CHIP	Florida State Health Improvement Plan (FSHIP)	Healthy People 2020	National Prevention Strategy: Priorities

Strategic Priority: Increase awareness of local resources Goal: Provide people with tools and information to make healthy lifestyle choices. Objective 3.2.1: Awareness and use of key resources for health care, education, and safe physical activity opportunities will increase by 10% by June 30, 2015.	PA-1Reduce the proportion of adults who engage in no leisure-time physical activity. AHS-7 Increase the proportion of persons who receive appropriate evidence-based clinical preventive services.	EP-1 Provide people with tools and information to make healthy choices. EP-2 Promote positive social interactions and support healthy decision making. EP-3 Engage and empower people and communities to plan and implement prevention policies and programs. AL-5 Assess physical activity levels and provide education, counseling, and referrals. CCPS-4 Support implementation of community-based preventive services and enhance linkages with clinical care. EHD-1 Ensure a strategic focus on communities at greatest risk.
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